

WESTERN KAS. WORLD.

W. S. TILTON, Editor.

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For District Judge, L. K. PRATT, OF HORTON COUNTY.

Wa-Keeney Primaries.

WA-KEENEY, Oct. 8, 1885.
In accordance with the call of the Republican Central Committee, the primary election in this township will be held in Wa-Keeney at 10 o'clock a. m. on Saturday, October 10, 1885, between the hours of 1 o'clock p. m. and 6:30 p. m.
S. P. BARTLETT,
Member of Tp. Cen. Com.

TO ALL VOTERS.

No one need go amiss as to whether he should vote at the Republican primaries to-day. No one, unless he be a Republican, has the political or moral right to do so without being ready to pledge himself to the support of the man or men who shall be nominated for the office or offices in the nomination of whose candidate or candidates he wishes to take a part at the primaries.

To illustrate: If John Jones, a Democrat, offers to vote to-day for Thomas Rater for clerk, he must not be permitted to do so, unless he will pledge himself to support, at the general election, Frank Fair, who, presumably, is Rater's opponent at the primaries, in the case of Fair receiving the nomination.

In other words—if any one is still at sea on this subject—we say to him that the Republican party makes to any outsider a concession if it permits him to vote at the Republican primaries. The concession, then, clearly, is due the Republican party from the other man that he will stay with it at the general election to the extent which he volunteered to act with it at the primaries. Any other course would be a trade with only one side consulted—simply a rape of the ballot box. No Republican would be under any possible obligation to support a so-called party ticket which was shaped by outside votes for the certain purpose of doing it a great injury. This is a point which no true Republican will permit himself to forget to-day, no matter who he may be or what is the color of his skin.

The board of county commissioners were in regular quarterly session on Monday and Tuesday. The usual routine of business was conducted, as well as some of a new character in the way of considering official resignations, making appointments, etc. The full proceedings will appear in the WORLD of next week.

There will be a special meeting of the school board of Wa-Keeney district, No. 1, Tuesday, Oct. 13, at 2 o'clock p. m., at Opera Hall, for the purpose of considering the question of voting bonds to buy a site, and building a school house thereon. The board request all voters in the district to be present and discuss the matter.

Married—at the residence of the bride's parents, October 1, 1885, by Rev. J. A. Stait, Thomas D. Emmons, of Lane county, and Miss Minnie Stimitt, of Trego county. Miss Stimitt's parents have lived down in the Downer settlement from the year one of Trego county's settlement. They are among our best citizens. The WORLD wishes their daughter all possible happiness in her changed relations.

Thomas Caddick, T. T. Armstrong, J. W. Reynolds and W. S. Tilton were the old soldiers from Trego county who showed up at the re-union at Topeka last week. All of them had a splendid time. Mr. Caddick ran across the captain and another member of the company in which he had served. Mr. Reynolds found the adjutant of his regiment, who was no other than C. A. Norton, of Beloit, who commanded the sixth division at the re-union.

While at the great re-union at Topeka last week, we met three men who lived in Trego county in her olden time. They were Myers, who used to live in Ogallah township; Glynn, who lived on the Saline, about north of Collyer, and B. F. Grant, whose home used to be down on the Downer. Grant and Glynn live within a few miles of Topeka, though we believe they are not neighbors. We understood Myers to say that he lives down toward the southeastern part of the state, perhaps in LaBette county. All of them, unless it was Grant, talked like they would like to be back in Trego county. We are not sure but he expressed himself in the same manner.

A man was in the WORLD office last Monday morning who had come to Wa-Keeney, as one of a colony of eight families, to take government land at different points near the center of Greeley county. The men comprising this colony live in Chase county, in this state. They think some of prospecting for water in Greeley county this fall, but will not go there to settle until in the spring. Our informant stated to us that no other settlers had been seen in their part of the county. As to water, he said that the streams are dry, and that the only fluid of the kind which they saw in Greeley county is a pond, which, he judges, never goes dry. The pond, he says, covers about three acres of ground now, but he thinks that in a wet season it perhaps would cover a hundred acres.

—Mighty windy yesterday.
—Frost Thursday morning.
—Primary elections to-day.
—The demand for coal increases.
—Dr. Scott was up from Ness City in the early part of the week.
—Mr. J. H. Baker is having a well bored at the rear of his block.
—Mrs. T. T. Armstrong, of Gibson, is taking a two or three weeks' visit at Solomon City.

—The subscription paper to assist in equipping the new cornet band has been signed liberally.

—County Superintendent Rich has been taking a trip through the western portion of the county, visiting schools.

—The Catholic priest, we are told, will arrive here on the 17th inst. On the 18th inst., at 8 o'clock a. m., he will say mass.

—Mr. W. S. Rush, of Stream & Rush, land agents at Cleveland, St. John county, was a welcome caller Monday afternoon.

—Vesper and praise services, we are requested by Rev. Mr. Stait to say, will be held at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening.

—Quite a heavy frost covered the ground early Sunday. Monday night another frost came. That stayed longer the next morning.

—Five seats and two recitation benches have been received this week for the enlargement of the seating facilities in Principal Opp's room.

—A new son arrived at the residence of Postmaster Ufford on Monday. George, kind-hearted soul that he is, at once claimed it as his own.

—Hughes Bros. are a new law and land firm in Wa-Keeney. We have done considerable work for them this week. See their advertisement in this issue.

—H. J. Hille has been circulating a petition to the probate judge for the early renewal of his druggist's permit to sell liquor. He will have no difficulty.

—That is a big, dusty pile of dirt which they are taking from the basement beneath the government land office, and scattering over the street to the east of there.

—Mrs. McCreary, from Rock Port, Mo., is visiting the family of S. J. Osborn. She is Mrs. Osborn's mother. A sister of Mrs. Osborn's, we believe, is also here on a visit.

—Jo. Corette, the Grinnell merchant, is badly out of health. He was here a part of this week, and talked of going to Eureka Springs, Ark., on a recuperating expedition.

—To the members of the County Republican Central Committee: Do not forget or slight the meeting of the committee on Monday, October 12, at 12 m., to canvass the returns of to-day's primary election.

—Mr. Wm. Boyle, from Denver, is a new acquisition to the Wa-Keeney Minstrels, of whom the troupe are exceedingly proud, on account of his accomplishments. We acknowledge the receipt of a very pleasant call from Mr. Boyle, who was under the guidance of Billie Wilson.

—We shall take it as a particular favor if some friend in each township will see to telegraphing the writer, this evening, the complete returns of the primary election of to-day. Wait until all the votes are counted. Then telegraph at our expense.

—Wa-Keeney is to have a new paper. The man who is to start it is named Wherry. He comes from Tarkio, Mo., where, we hear, he has been in this same business. The material for the paper now lies in the opera building. He will open his office in a room at the head of the stairs about week after next, we understand.

—Our friend, W. S. McGinnis, has been having a treat. His father, from Springfield, Ill., was out to visit him last week. Mr. H. C. Jacobs, a brother-in-law of W. S.'s, came out also. He went back to Illinois, but will return here in a few days. He and young McGinnis will then open a store on the line of Trego and Ness counties, one and a half miles east of where Trego and Gove counties corner.

—Kerns & Kyle are the kind of business men whom we are always ready to do a good turn. Read that advertisement of theirs, and then say whether you don't catch on to the reason for our generosity. Well, these gentlemen have a splendid stock of goods, a nice building in which to keep them, are themselves splendid fellows, and we are too obtuse to see why they are not going to succeed in the full sense of the term. The WORLD wants them to do so.

DEMOCRATIC MASS CONVENTION

There will be a Democratic Mass Convention held at the Knights of Labor Hall, in Wa-Keeney, on Saturday, Oct. 17, 1885, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following county offices:
A Treasurer.
A Clerk.
A Register of Deeds.
A Probate Judge.
A Surveyor.
Every Democratic voter in the county is respectfully requested to attend.
By the committee.

H. J. HILLE, Secretary

CRAWFORD COUNTY SYSTEM.

The Primary Election to Be Held in Each Township on October 10.

At 2 o'clock p. m., sharp, on Saturday, August 29, 1885, according to the call of the chairman, the full membership of the Republican Central committee of Trego county met in the WORLD office.

The Crawford County system of nominating candidates for the various county offices was adopted.

The time of holding the primary elections in the various townships was set for October 10, 1885.

The following rules were adopted for the GOVERNMENT OF THE PRIMARIES:

1. The chairman of each township committee shall designate the place of holding the primary in his township by a printed notice in some newspaper of general circulation in his township, for four consecutive weeks prior to said primary, and shall also post a printed notice thereof at the place so designated for at least ten days prior to said primary.

2. The township committee shall constitute the board for the primary elections, any vacancies to be filled as for a general election.

3. Said board shall record the names of all electors voting, and shall make a correct tally of all the votes cast for each and every candidate; provided, That no person who has not acted with the Republican party shall be eligible to vote at these primaries, unless he shall commit himself to the support of the entire ticket nominated, or to some specific portion of it.

4. Any Republican who will be entitled to vote at the next general election, and who will pledge himself to the support of the ticket nominated, shall be entitled to vote at the primaries.

5. The result of each primary shall be signed and certified to by each member of the board, sealed in their presence, addressed to chairman of central committee and delivered to the chairman of the township committee, whose duty it shall be to deliver it to the chairman of the central committee within five days thereafter.

6. Each return shall consist of the tally sheet, to which shall be attached the printed notice of the primary election in its respective township, and all the ballots cast at such primary.

7. All candidates, whose names appear on the tickets at these primaries, will be assessed their equal share of the necessary expense in printing said tickets and blanks, payment of the same to be made to the chairman of the central committee on or before the 10th of October. Each and every township, to be entitled to a count by the central committee as a canvassing board, must conform to the rules and regulations herein prescribed.

W. S. TILTON,

Chairman Co. Rep. Cen. Committee.

R. C. RICH, Secretary.

—G. C. Stebbins, the land agent, has pulled up his grip sack, and gone down to the Santa Fe, along which road he has landed interests in the western portion of the state. He thinks of making his headquarters in Topeka for a time.

WE BELIEVE IN ADVERTISING.

We Now Advertise

—THAT—

The WORLD has the only healthy subscription list which was ever possessed by a paper in Trego county.

—THAT—

In the very nature of things this state of facts will continue indefinitely.

—THAT—

Advertisers consult their own interests and those of the people only when they patronize the paper which has the subscription list.

—THAT—

No thorough business man is going to sink enough money here for a good while yet to enable him to compete, in facilities for doing first-class work, with the WESTERN KANSAS WORLD job office.

—YES—

We believe in advertising—when one has something to say!

Election Proclamation.

STATE OF KANSAS,
COUNTY OF TREGO.
The State of Kansas, to all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:
Know ye that I, the undersigned Sheriff of Trego county, Kansas, by virtue of the authority in me vested, do, by this Proclamation, give public notice that

On Tuesday, the 3d day of November, 1885, there will be held a General Election in the several Townships of Trego county, Kansas, and the officers to be elected at that time are

A Probate Judge, to fill a vacancy.
A Sheriff.
A Coroner.
A County Clerk.
A County Treasurer.
A Register of Deeds.
A County Surveyor.
And a County Commissioner for the Second District.
Also to be voted for in Trego, Gove, St. John and Wallace counties:
A Judge of the 17th Judicial District.
In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, at my office at Wa-Keeney, in said county, this 26th day of September, 1885.
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GEORGE BAKER, Sheriff

—Regular church services at the Methodist church at 11 o'clock a. m. and Sunday school at 3 p. m. of the same day.

No. 5176. Land Office at Wa-Keeney, Kan. October 8, 1885.

Complaint having been entered at this office by James H. Owen against Charles Shaff, for abandoning his homestead entry no. 3851, dated June 11, 1879, upon the sw 1-4 sec 21, tp 15 s r 25 w, in Trego county, Kansas, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 24th day of November, 1885, at 1 o'clock p. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

B. J. F. HANNA, Register.
John A. Nelson, Atty.

—Visiting Cards.—They get up no nicer than we offer to furnish. No 10 cents for 50 affairs. Pure material and decent charges for the work!

HORSES TAKEN UP.

One White Horse and one Iron Gray, and a yearling colt, also Iron Gray. Colt is the only one branded. It is branded P on left hip. The first are a big span, perhaps 16 hands high.

JOHN CONNOLLY,
Wa-Keeney, Kan.
Enquire at Frick's stable.

COAL
COLORADO
COAL
\$6.00 PER TON.
AT ELSWORTH'S
Coal & Lumber Yard.

KERNS & KYLE,

Successors to MORGAN & DANN,

DEALERS IN

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HIGHEST MARKET PRICES PAID

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TREGO COUNTY BANK,

J. H. MARCH & CO., BANKERS.

WA-KEENEY, KANSAS.

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Choice improved farms for sale or rent. A personal interview or correspondence solicited from parties desiring to buy or sell real estate in Trego county, Kansas.

MAKE FINAL PROOF.

And pays out on pre-emptions, loans money, discounts notes, issues certificates of deposit payable on demand.

Sells Passage Tickets

To and from Europe, buys and sells exchange, makes collections and does a general banking business.

WERLICH & KERSHAW

Are again in trade at their old stand and are prepared to supply everyone with

(GROCERIES) (FLOUR) (AND) (FEED) (HARDWARE)

Stoves, Tinware, Queensware, &c., &c.

Have a Car Load of Barbed Wire at the Lowest Prices. Give us a Call and see our Prices.

Agents for the STUDEBAKER Wagon and McCORMICK Reaper and Mower.

We now have a Tinner employed, and are ready to do any kind of Tinwork

W. F. PAGETT,

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

OGALLAH, KAN.

DRY GOODS,

Gents' Furnishing Goods,

CLOTHING,

Hats, Caps, Gloves, &c.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

In fact, anything you want or can get in a first-class store I have it.

TINWARE, HARDWARE,

GROCERIES,

As fine a line as you will find anywhere.

PRICES

LOWER THAN EVER!

Come and See Me!

I Won't be Undersold!

BY ANYBODY.

If you don't believe it, I will prove it.

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COAL!

FLOUR!

MEAL!

AND

SALT!

Lots of things too numerous to mention.

COME EARLY.

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No Trouble? Show Goods.

Yours Respectfully,

W. F. PAGETT.